State of Vermont Executive Department A Proclamation

WHEREAS, case management is a multidisciplinary profession that seeks to

assure the delivery of quality, appropriate, person-centered, efficient and cost-effective healthcare services to patients throughout

Vermont; and

WHEREAS, case managers function in a variety of practice settings including

hospitals, home healthcare, area agencies on aging, long-term care, rehabilitation, eldercare, managed care, and occupational health to

facilitate the coordination of continuing care services; and

WHEREAS, case management is a primary medical management strategy that

fosters the careful shepherding of healthcare dollars while maintaining a primary and consistent focus on patient advocacy; and

WHEREAS, case management services enhance quality of life while promoting

the achievement of positive healthcare outcomes; and

WHEREAS, case management is an integral component of healthcare delivery in

Vermont and throughout the United States.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Philip B. Scott, Governor, hereby proclaim October 13-19, 2019

as

CASE MANAGEMENT WEEK

in Vermont.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Vermont on this 13th day of October, A.D. 2019.

Philip B. Scot Governor

Brittney L. Wilson

Secretary of Civil and Military Affairs